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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	
Kiyoshi KAWABE	
Application No.: 10/827,249	
Filed:	April 20, 2004
For:	COMPUTER SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR OPERATING A COMPUTER UNIT AND A PERIPHERAL UNIT

AND)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

STATUS INQUIRY

Undersigned's records indicate that no substantive correspondence has been received in reference to the above-identified application. Please advise the undersigned of the status of the application.

In view of these circumstances, the undersigned attorney respectfully requests that he be advised of the status of this application as soon as possible in order to determine whether further action by the applicant is required at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: July 15, 2005

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